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## UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FOURTH CIRCUIT

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No. 22-1451 (1:18-cv-00950-LO-JFA)

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SONY MUSIC ENTERTAINMENT; ARISTA MUSIC; ARISTA RECORDS, LLC; LAFACE RECORDS LLC; PROVIDENT LABEL GROUP, LLC; SONY MUSIC ENTERTAINMENT US LATIN; VOLCANO ENTERTAINMENT III, LLC; ZOMBA RECORDINGS LLC; SONY/ATV MUSIC PUBLISHING LLC; EMI AI GALLICO MUSIC CORP.; EMI ALGEE MUSIC CORP.; EMI APRIL MUSIC INC.; EMI BLACKWOOD MUSIC INC.; COLGEMS-EMI MUSIC INC.; EMI CONSORTIUM MUSIC PUBLISHING INC., d/b/a EMI Full Keel Music; EMI CONSORTIUM SONGS, INC., d/b/a EMI Longitude Music; EMI FEIST CATALOG INC.; EMI MILLER CATALOG INC.; EMI MILLS MUSIC, INC.; EMI UNART CATALOG INC.; EMI U CATALOG INC.; JOBETE MUSIC CO. INC.; STONE AGATE MUSIC; SCREEN GEMS-EMI MUSIC INC.; STONE DIAMOND MUSIC CORP.; ATLANTIC RECORDING CORPORATION: BAD BOYS RECORDS LLC: ELEKTRA ENTERTAINMENT GROUP INC.; FUELED BY RAMEN LLC; ROADRUNNER RECORDS, INC.; WARNER-TAMERLANE PUBLISHING CORP.; WB MUSIC CORP.; UNICHAPPELL MUSIC INC.; RIGHTSONG MUSIC INC.; COTILLION MUSIC, INC.; INTERSONG U.S.A., INC.; UMG RECORDINGS, INC.; CAPITOL RECORDS, LLC; UNIVERSAL MUSIC CORP.: UNIVERSAL MUSIC -MGB NA LLC: UNIVERSAL MUSIC PUBLISHING INC.; UNIVERSAL MUSIC PUBLISHING AB; UNIVERSAL PUBLISHING LIMITED; UNIVERSAL MUSIC PUBLISHING MGB LIMITED; UNIVERSAL MUSIC - Z TUNES LLC; UNIVERSAL/ISLAND MUSIC LIMITED; UNIVERSAL/MCA MUSIC PUBLISHING PTY. LIMITED; MUSIC CORPORATION OF AMERICA, INC., d/b/a Universal Music Corp.; POLYGRAM PUBLISHING, INC.; SONGS OF UNIVERSAL, INC.; WARNER RECORDS, INC., f/k/a W.B.M. Music Corp.; WARNER CHAPPELL MUSIC,

INC., f/k/a Warner/Chappell Music, Inc.; W.C.M. MUSIC CORP., f/k/a W.B.M. Music Corp.

Plaintiffs - Appellees

and

NONESUCH RECORDS INC.; WARNER BROS. RECORDS INC.; WARNER/CHAPPELL MUSIC, INC.; W.B.M. MUSIC CORP.; UNIVERSAL - POLYGRAM INTERNATIONAL TUNES, INC.; UNIVERSAL - SONGS OF POLYGRAM INTERNATIONAL, INC.; UNIVERSAL POLYGRAM INTERNATIONAL PUBLISHING, INC.; RONDOR MUSIC INTERNATIONAL, INC.

**Plaintiffs** 

v.

COX COMMUNICATIONS, INC.; COXCOM, LLC

Defendants - Appellants

ORDER

Upon consideration of submissions relative to appellants' motion to hold appeal in abeyance, the court grants the motion and places this case in abeyance pending a decision by this court in *Sony Music Entertainment v. Cox Communications, Incorporated*, No. 21-1168, orally argued March 9, 2022.

For the Court

/s/ Patricia S. Connor, Clerk